

SIX HUNDRED

Dead is the Latest Report From Port Royal.

Nearly All the Victims Poor Negroes on the Lowlands.

Rice Crops Washed Away and Seven Thousand People Destitute—Houses Washed Away—Gov. Tillman Calls Upon the Citizens for Help.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 1.—Gov. Tillman Thursday night received the following telegram from John H. Averill, general manager of the Port Royal and Augusta railroad at Yemassee, S. C.:

"The loss of life by the recent cyclone on the islands adjacent to Beaufort and Port Royal will number not less than 600 people. There are 1,000 people on the islands entirely destitute of provisions, all they had being washed away, and their crops are an entire loss. Great destitution will prevail among them unless they have speedy relief. I am working night and day to open up communication, and hope to have trains into Beaufort not later than Monday next."

"J. H. AVERILL."

The governor immediately issued the following proclamation:

"Having received the following telegram from J. H. Averill, receiver of the Port Royal and Augusta Railroad Co., conveying the startling intelligence of an appalling loss of life and a terrible state of destitution upon the islands on the coast of this state, resulting from the terrible hurricane which the Almighty in His judgment has visited upon the people of the South Atlantic state, causing universal suffering (The governor here quotes the telegram as given above, and continues as follows):

Now I, B. R. Tillman, governor of the state of South Carolina, acting in my official capacity and for the best interests of the people of this commonwealth, do issue this, my proclamation, and call upon the people throughout the length and breadth of the state to come to the aid of their suffering fellow-citizens. The fact that these are poor colored farmers, whose homes have been ruined and their crops destroyed, appeals with peculiar force to every right-thinking person. The general loss in Charleston and elsewhere is great, but other communities can take care of themselves. Contributions can be made in money, food, clothing and other necessities of life sufficient to meet the present emergency. Money contributions can be sent to the bank of Beaufort, subject to the draft of a general relief committee which I will appoint at the earliest possible moment, with headquarters at Port Royal. I call upon all classes of people, both white and colored, to come promptly to the relief of these unfortunate people. I would suggest that church, charitable and philanthropic organizations collect their contributions at the various railway stations to be shipped to Port Royal as soon as the railroad is repaired. Paid directions will be given through the press later on, and remember, he gives twice who gives quickly under these circumstances."

B. R. TILLMAN, Governor of South Carolina.

Accounts continue to come in of general havoc by Sunday's storm. Mr. Robinson, of Kerrison's establishment, gives the following story of the effects of the storm in the low country: He had just arrived from Walterboro, and stated that from Biscoff's place, on the Edisto river, to Jacksonville, two Negroes floated the whole distance on top of their shanty, and reported that about one hundred men, women and children had been drowned in the lowlands. They related a terrible experience, and furthermore state that all of the dwellings are totally destroyed and the place in abject desolation.

At Walterboro, Mr. Robinson said, many of the houses had been completely washed from their foundations out into the streets and all of the rice fields were overflowed.

FROM CHINA.

A Party of Chinese Mutiny on a Dutch Steamer and Kill the Captain and Twenty Sailors.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—The steamer China, from Hong Kong and Yokohama, brought the following advices: Terrible floods and famine are reported in north China, and the distress is terrible. In Hokehang, men, women, children and cattle are dying of starvation by hundreds, and as many as thirty fatal cases of cholera are reported in the city daily.

While the Dutch steamer, Rajah Atjes, trading between Penang and the east coast of Achien, was making a trip recently, the Chinese passengers rose and attacked the crew, killing the English captain, mate and twenty of their associates. They also wounded fifteen of the passengers and crew. After this slaughter the Chinese left the steamer in boats, taking with them several captives.

Farnham Post Will Fight.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 1.—Several members of Farnham Post, G. A. R., of New York city, have already arrived in this city in anticipation of the annual encampment of the Grand Army. They are armed with voluminous reports concerning the circumstances under which the resolutions relating to fraudulent pensioners, which resulted in the expulsion of their post from the organization, were passed, and a vigorous effort will be made to secure reinstatement of the post.

Thursday's Games.			
Cincinnati.....	2	Philadelphia.....	4
Washington.....	1	Pittsburgh.....	3
Baltimore.....	11	Boston.....	7
Cleveland.....	6	Chicago.....	0
(First Game.)		(Second Game.)	
New York.....	6	New York.....	8
St. Louis.....	3	St. Louis.....	1
Brooklyn.....	8		
Louisville.....	3		

HOW THEY RANK

	Won.	Lost.	Pr. Ct.
Boston.....	74	22	.698
Pittsburgh.....	62	44	.585
Philadelphia.....	61	44	.581
Cleveland.....	56	48	.538
New York.....	56	49	.533
Brooklyn.....	54	51	.514
Cincinnati.....	51	53	.490
Baltimore.....	49	57	.462
St. Louis.....	47	60	.439
Chicago.....	43	63	.406
Louisville.....	40	61	.396
Washington.....	37	67	.356

Army Officer Kills Himself.

PT. WORTH, Tex., Sept. 1.—First Lieut. Sam Robertson, of the First regiment, U. S. A., was Thursday found dead in his room at a hotel. He is believed to have died from overdoses of chloral.

Miners to Cease Work.

EDINBURGH, Sept. 1.—A mass meeting of the Lothian miners was held at Dalkeith Thursday afternoon. It was resolved to cease work Monday until a 20 per cent. advance in wages is given.

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STARTLING INCREASE!

Insanity Last Year.

The increase of insanity last year over the

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as sick and nervous headache, nervousness,

convulsions, neuralgia, apoplexy, dyspepsia,

sleeplessness, paralysis, nervous prostration,

epilepsy, etc. The outlook would certainly

be discouraging for you were there no means

of escape. Any of the above difficulties,

and many more, are advance symptoms of

insanity or some other equally deplorable con-

dition ending in suicide or premature death.

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it at once. Do not wait till your intellect is

shattered or the frenzy of suicide overcomes

you. Delay is dangerous.

Rev. J. R. Miller, Pastor of the M. E. church,

Big Rock, Pa., writes: "Overworked caused me to

break down completely. The efforts of several

good doctors, and eight weeks of travel, did me

little good. I could not read or study, and my

condition was serious. I began using Dr. Miles'

Restorative Nervine, and in a few days I was

completely cured me. Accept my gratitude."

AMERICAN MURDERED

Near Glasgow By Englishmen to Get His Insurance Money.

GLASGOW, Sept. 1.—The body of a young man named Hamborough was found on the Ardnamont estate, near Lochfyne, on the 10th inst. He was the son of a very rich resident of the United States. He had been rabbit shooting on the Ardnamont estate, and his dead body was found lying near a ditch. He had been shot in the head, and his gun, which had been discharged, was on the ground beside him. It was supposed that the wound in his head had either been self-inflicted or that it was the result of an accident. Detectives were put on the case.

After nearly three weeks they are satisfied that murder has been committed. Two men are suspected, and one of them was placed in custody yesterday. His name is Monson, and he is a tenant on the Ardnamont estate, where Hamborough made his acquaintance. The other suspected man is Edward Scott, a sailor, who was employed on Hamborough's yacht. He has disappeared. They say that they have discovered that Hamborough had insured his life for \$50,000, and had assigned the policy to Monson. It was with the hope of obtaining the insurance money, they allege, that the murder was committed by Monson, with the aid of the sailor, Scott.

CLOSED GATES

By the Decision of Judges Dunne and Brentano.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—The injunction restraining the directors from closing the World's fair gates to the public on Sunday has been dissolved. Judges Dunne and Brentano united in a decision to this effect Thursday morning. Judge Goggin dissented and upheld the decision of Judge Stein on the superior court bill, filed against the Columbian exposition by Charles W. Clingman. A motion was made before Judges Dunne, Brentano and Goggin to dissolve the restraining order, and that motion has been sustained by Judges Dunne and Brentano. With the injunction dissolved the directors are at liberty to use their discretion in opening the gates on Sunday, and the rule adopted by them against a fair on the first day of the week, will, therefore, be in force.

THE WHISKY TRUST.

Vice-President Beggs Emphatically Denies That They Are in Financial Difficulties.

PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 1.—Vice-president Beggs, of the whisky trust, emphatically denies that the trust is in financial difficulties. He says that the obligations of the trust are promptly paid when due, that there is not the slightest intention of postponing the payment of any rebates which may become due, and that while it is true that business is dull he thinks the trust does not suffer as much as many other businesses of the country.

He claims that the special meeting called for Monday has nothing to do with financial troubles, and merely takes the place of the regular August meeting, which could not be held because President Greenhut was in Mackinac.

Disastrous Fire.

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., Sept. 1.—A disastrous fire swept over a large portion of this city. The Commercial hotel, Spring's livery stable, Krohe's agricultural store and Frohmen's dry goods store were the chief sufferers. The guests at the hotel had to run for their lives. A keg of powder in Krohe's store caused general havoc. A man named Butler was burned to death in the livery stable and another is missing. The loss will be about \$25,000, partially covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to be incendiary.

New Liberty Bell.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 1.—The new Columbian liberty bell, which arrived here Wednesday evening en route to the World's fair, left at 8:10 o'clock Thursday morning on the Panhandle railroad for Columbus, O. It will arrive there at 3:25 o'clock Thursday afternoon and at Indianapolis at 10:15 o'clock Thursday night. The bell was an object of much interest and attracted a curious throng, but there were no ceremonies of any kind.

From Hawaii.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—The provisional government of Hawaii, believing that the royalists were planning an insurrection, laid the matter before Admiral Skeritt, on August 24. The admiral gave prompt orders for the Boston's men to be prepared to land at fifteen minutes' notice. The threatened outbreak did not occur and no troops were landed.

Did He Suicide?

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 1.—A sensation was caused here Thursday morning by the sudden death of Charles Armstrong, a popular young business man. The death was unmistakably caused by a dose of strychnine, whether administered with suicidal intent or not is uncertain. He has been very melancholy since the death of his wife some time ago.

A Fiendish Firebug.

DILLSBORO, Ind., Sept. 1.—Henry Lange's dwelling house and its entire contents were destroyed by fire at 1 o'clock Thursday morning. Lange was away from home, and had it not been for the assistance of neighbors, Mrs. Lange and little daughter would have perished in the flames. Supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

John Smith's Children.

PEAPACK, N. J., Sept. 1.—About 10,000 people, all tracing their ancestry to a common root, have assembled here. The occasion was the annual reunion of the descendants of John Smith. This was the eighteenth gathering of the Smiths at Peapack.

Labor Troubles.

MOBILE, Ala., Sept. 1.—The machinists, molders and boiler-makers of the Louisville & Nashville road struck because of the reduction of wages which goes into effect Friday. The carpenters and painters remain, but it is believed they will also strike.

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We have just received a shipment of new and stylish Dress Goods, including plain and figured Hop-sacking in all the new shades. A 50-inch Novelty Dress Goods at only \$7.50 per yard; 50-inch all-wool cloths, in blue, tan and gray, at \$6.00 per yard; Twenty lines of Corsets, including all the celebrated makes, such as Warner's, Bull's, J. R. P. D. H. & S. Woven, etc., at low prices; also cheap grades at 40, 50, 65 and 75c., in black, white and old gold. Ask to see our 30c. unlaundried shirt. It is a bargain.

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CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Mr. Gladstone has decided to take a fortnight's holiday, beginning September 3.

Commissioner Beeson, of Oklahoma, was found guilty of bribery by the World's fair commission.

Two hundred workmen in the cable power houses of the Philadelphia Traction Co. quit work because of a 10 per cent. reduction in their wages.

Minnesota farmers have finished harvest and grain is in fine condition for threshing. A great scarcity of men prevails and many machines are idle for want of men to operate them.

Emma Goldman was to have been the star attraction at an anarchist meeting in Philadelphia Thursday evening, but was arrested on a New York warrant for inciting riot prior to her appearance.

The Queen City bank, of Buffalo, N. Y., which suspended several weeks ago, resumed business Thursday morning. There was no rush to withdraw deposits, and the bank is receiving more than it pays out.

Twenty per cent. more of the \$4,444,500 bonded indebtedness of the World's Columbian exposition will be paid off during the month of September; 10 per cent. will be payable September 7, and 10 per cent. September 15.

Thursday morning the Harrison cottage at Cape May was closed for the season. Ex-President Harrison and his family left the cottage for Indianapolis where Mr. Harrison will attend the encampment of the grand army.

Michael Kazarin, imperial Russian commissioner, sent to the United States to examine the prisons of this country, spent Thursday at the Ohio penitentiary in charge of Mr. Boyle, the governor's private secretary.

An unknown man dropped dead in the agricultural building at the World's fair Wednesday. He is about 55 years of age, and his clothing bore the initials of C. F. E., other marks on his clothing point to Milwaukee at his home.

Sir George Dash has arrived at Quebec to take command of the royal engineers charged with building fortifications at British Columbia. It is said that Lord Aberdeen, the new governor general, will arrive at Quebec soon.

A bold robbery was committed on the Cunard steamer Campana on her last trip to New York, in which \$4,000 in diamonds and jewelry and a letter of credit for \$20,000 were taken. Mrs. C. B. Fiske, a wealthy widow of Boston, is the victim.

Shooting park in Newark, N. J., was thronged with veterans Thursday in honor of the demonstration arranged by Phil Kearney Post No. 1, G. A. R., in commemoration of the thirty-first anniversary of the battle of Chantilly, at which Gen. Kearney was killed.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 1.
FLOUR—Winter patent, \$3.10; 2.40; fancy, \$2.00; 1.90; family, \$1.95; 1.85; extra, \$1.75; 1.65; low grades, \$1.50; 1.40; spring patent, \$3.40; 1.30; fancy, \$3.15; 1.20; family, \$2.05; 1.90; Northwestern rye, \$2.80; 2.70; city rye, \$2.55; 2.40.

WHEAT—Steady. Sales: No. 2 red, 56c, sample, 56c.

CORN—Steady. Sales: White ear, 40¢.

OATS—Steady. Sales: No. 2 mixed, 25¢; No. 2 white, 25¢.

CATTLE—Select butcher, \$3.75; 4.00; fair to good, \$3.00; 3.25; common, \$2.00; 2.50. Heifers: Good to choice, \$3.00; 3.25; common to fair, \$1.75; 2.25. Cows: Good to choice, \$2.50; 3.00; fair to medium, \$2.00; 2.25; common and their rough stuff, 75c; 1.50; stockers, \$1.75; 2.00; yearling and grazing calves, \$2.00; 2.50.

VEAL CALVES—Common and large, \$2.00; 4.00; fair to good light, \$4.75; 5.00.

HOGS—Select heavy and prime butchers, \$4.00; 4.25; stockers, \$3.25; 3.50; common and rough, \$2.50; 2.75; fair to good light, \$3.00; 3.25; fat pigs, \$1.50; 1.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep—Good to choice, \$2.75; 3.00; common to fair, \$1.50; 1.75; culls, \$1.25; 1.50. Stock: Good to choice, \$2.50; 2.75; common and rough, \$1.50; 1.75; fat pigs, \$1.50; 1.75.

LAMBS—Shippers: Extra, \$5.00; 5.25; good to choice, \$4.25; 4.50; common to fair, \$3.25; 3.50. Butchers: Good to choice, \$3.00; 3.25; extra, \$4.00; common and culls, \$2.00; 2.25.

BUFFALO Sept. 1.

CATTLE—Market dull; not very good heavy coarse light steers \$2.75; 2.85; good 1,150 lbs \$3